



Case 5689

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
ALBERTO COMBEAU : December 24, 1990  
Serial No: N/A :  
Filed: Herewith :  
For: IMPROVEMENTS IN VALVES FOR :  
FLUID PASSAGE :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Claim 7, delete "Claims 5 or 6" and substitute therefor --  
Claim 5--.

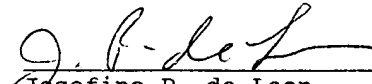
Claim 8, delete "Claims 5 or 6" and substitute therefor --  
Claim 5--.

Claim 13, delete "any of Claims 1 or 9-12 inclusive" and  
substitute therefor --Claim 1--.

REMARKS

The Claims have amended to remove multiple dependencies.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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